

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES
LOK SABHA**

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Will the Minister of NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have taken any steps to encourage the Non-Conventional Energy Sources in the country particularly in hilly region of Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the amount spent thereon during each of the last three years, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government are satisfied with the achievements made in this regard;
- (d) whether the Union Government make evaluation in this regard from time to time; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the results of last evaluation made?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI M. KANNAPPAN)

(a) & (b): The Ministry of Non-Conventional Energy Source has taken various steps to encourage promotion and development of various Non-Conventional Energy Sources throughout the country, including the hilly region of Uttar Pradesh. Various fiscal, financial and promotional incentives are provided by the Ministry throughout the country. Higher rates of subsidies/incentives are being provided under biogas, improved chulha and small hydro power programmes in hilly regions including those of Uttar Pradesh. The State-wise funds released during each of the last three years under various programmes of the Ministry, are given in Annexure-I.

(c), (d) & (e): The Ministry has been undertaking periodic review of the various programmes / projects implemented by State Nodal Agencies and other organizations and necessary corrective measures are taken for successful and timely implementation of the various programmes/schemes. The evaluation studies carried out under Biogas and Improved Chulha Programmes by an independent organization have indicated a functionality of about 87.5% and 70% respectively for these programmes in the country.

State-wise details of funds released during last three years under various programmes of the Ministry.

(Rs. in Crores)

Sl. No.	State/UTS	Funds Released
		1997-98 1998-99 1999-2000
1	Andhra Pradesh	8.51 9.89 14.18
2	Arunachal Pradesh	6.79 0.72 0.37
3	Assam	1.05 1.17 2.34
4	Bihar	0.72 2.78 3.93
5	Goa	0.12 0.58 0.11
6	Gujarat	6.11 7.65 4.45
7	Haryana	2.21 2.95 3.57
8	Himachal Pradesh	4.33 4.03 5.89
9	Jammu & Kashmir	1.01 1.97 3.49
10	Karnataka	7.56 10.33 9.37
11	Kerala	1.04 2.71 4.58
12	Madhya Pradesh	8.01 9.58 11.72
13	Maharashtra	6.72 8.20 16.09
14	Manipur	0.40 1.85 1.19
15	Meghalaya	0.32 0.63 0.41
16	Mizoram	9.52 3.33 2.93
17	Nagaland	0.23 0.66 0.51
18	Orissa	3.44 7.19 10.79
19	Punjab	3.16 6.59 10.06
20	Rajasthan	2.12 6.11 7.65
21	Sikkim	1.59 4.09 3.86
22	Tamil Nadu	3.99 3.65 6.41
23	Tripura	0.47 1.13 0.95
24	Uttar Pradesh	11.85 14.87 9.44
25	West Bengal	6.29 9.08 15.82

26	Andaman & Nicobar	0.04	0.13	0.18
27	Chandigarh	0.05	0.25	0.08
28	Dadar & Nagar Haveli	0.00	0.03	0.01
29	Daman & Diu	0.00	0.02	0.01
30	Delhi	0.47	0.22	0.52
31	Lakshwadeep	0.00	0.57	1.19
32	Pondicherry	0.08	0.40	0.12
33	Others+	28.32	23.53	27.18

Total		126.51	146.90	179.39
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+ = Funds released to other agencies for installation of Biogas plants, Improved Chulha, Solar photovoltaic & wind power programmes.